

Please substitute the paragraph starting at page 2, line 8 through line 14, with the following paragraph. A marked-up version of the paragraph showing the changes made thereto, is attached.

A2 --When multiple copy jobs are involved, a PC may wish to check the execution state of each job. Conventionally, however, when a PDL print job issued by a PC is transferred from a print server on a network to a copying machine, the completion of the job is disadvantageously reported to the PC. It is thus difficult to determine whether a job issued by the PC has actually been completed.--

Please substitute the paragraph starting at page 2, line 15 through line 18, with the following paragraph. A marked-up version of the paragraph showing the changes made thereto, is attached.

A3 -- Also, a copy job may be canceled while being executed, or may be abnormally terminated for any number of reasons. In this case, it is also difficult to ascertain in which manner the job issued by the PC has been terminated.

Please substitute the paragraph starting at page 5, line 22 through line 23, with the following paragraph. A marked-up version of the paragraph showing the changes made thereto, is attached.

A4 --Fig. 9 is a flowchart illustrating a storage method for a job history.--